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FOR JUSTICE DEPARTMENT, BARABRA O'MALLEY, FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY

E.O. 11652 N/A

TAGS: TECH, IN

SUBJ: TARAPUR

REF: STATE 153214

1. INDIAN ATOMIC ENERGY AUTHORITY HAS PROVIDED FOLLOWING RESPONSES
TO QUESTIONS PARAGRAPH 3 REFTEL. THESE RESPONSES MAY BE
DECLASSIFIED ON RECEIPT FOR USE IN COURT PRESENTATION.

BEGIN QUOTE

(A) NFC HAVE COMPLETED PROCESSING OF 1.6 PERCENT AND 2.1
PERCENT SCRAP AND HAVE COMMENCED PROCESSING OF 2.66 PERCENT
SCRAP FROM 20TH OF JUNE 1977. CONSEQUENTLY, THE PLANT HAS BEEN
OPERATING AT 20 PERCENT OF NORMAL OUTPUT SINCE MARCH THIS YEAR.

(B) WE CAN COMMENCE THE PROCESSING OF FRESH 2.66 PERCENT
MATERIAL COVERED BY XSNM-845 AS SOON AS IT IS RECEIVED AT NFC.
IF THE AIR SHIPMENT TAKES PLACE ON JULY 9TH, ALLOWING FOR THE
NORMAL TRANSIT TIMES AND INCOMING CHECKS, THE PROCESSING AT NFC

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SHOULD COMMENCE IN THE THIRD WEEK OF JULY, 1977

END QUOTE.

2. IN PROVIDING THIS INFORMATION CHAIRMAN SETHNA NOTED THAT
HIS PEOPLE WILL BE WORKING SATURDAY MORNING AND HE
WILL BE GLAD TO TRY TO RESPOND TO FURTHER INQUIRIES REGARDING

THE STATE OF THE OPERATION OF THE TARAPUR REACTORS. HE ALSO NOTED THAT IF ANY RESEARCH IS REQUIRED THE INQUIRIES WILL HAVE TO REACH HIM EARLY IN THE MORNING IF HE IS TO PROVIDE THE RESPONSE BEFORE THE END OF THE DAY. OF COURSE JULY 4 IS A REGULAR WORKING DAY FOR THE IAEC, BUT THERE REALLY ARE ONE AND A HALF WORKING DAYS AVAILABLE IN BOMBAY BEFORE THE US COURT SESSION BEGINS ON APRIL 5.
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